



Making Workshop Work for High School

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Overview of Semesters

MP 1

Launching

Ind. Reading (x4)

MP2

Narrative

Literary Essay

Ind. Reading X4

Book Ladders

Whole Class Text

MP3

Information

Ind. Reading x4

Whole Class Text

MP4

Argument

Ind. Read x4

Ladders

Allison's Every Day

Hypothetical Class:

8-8:02	Book Share!
8:02-8:17	Independent Reading/Confering
8:17-8:37	Transition to new idea/Mentor text
8:37-8:43	Group discussion/practice of new idea
8:43-8:48	Independent Practice/confering
8:48- 8:50	Exit Slip, reminders, etc

Writer's Notebook

- Belongs to the student! Personalize!
- Front page is blank for me to comment/connect.
- All pages are numbered on the lower Right
- Drafts completed on the right side only. Left side is for revision
- Three pages at the back for book lists
- Different colored inks for revision process...easier to check
- EVERYTHING is titled and dated.
- Collected 1-2x a quarter for scoring...(see example)

Mini-Lesson

The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian
The Official and Unwritten Rules
(Kelly Gallagher *Write like This*)

*Built from a book talk

Rubric/Self-Assessment



Independent Reading:

You **MUST** be a model reader for your students.

Donalyn Miller vs. Kelly Gallagher

*Donalyn has a sub-genre chart. You can see this on her slide-share

*Kelly Gallagher uses book clubs, independent and whole class texts.

Let go of the Canon!

Become an expert on finding **GOOD**, **NEW**, books
Awards, Book lists, Book Stores, other authors, Nerdly, etc.

Shopping: What if I have no library?

Assessing Independent Reading

Ideas for Tracking Reading:

- Book Marks (in units)
- Notice and Note
- Kelly Gallagher's One Page Reports (Readicide)
- Theme Notebooks
- Conferencing is Key

Don't get rid of the good things.

Life is not fair for everybody.

Kids are innocent until they experience the pain of life.

Racism is unfair.

Everybody is equal.

You care for the people you love and like.

Don't judge a book by its cover.

No Nuts

Teacher Resources:

Penny Kittle: Book Love

Write Beside Them

Beers and Probst: Notice and Note

Donalyn Miller: Reading in the Wild

Jeff Anderson: Revision Decisions

10 Things Every Writer Should Know

Kelly Gallagher: In the Best Interest of Students
Write Like This

Article of the Week

Jennifer Fletcher: Teaching Arguments

Aimee Buckner: Notebook Know How

Susan Brookhart: How to Give Effective Feedback to Your Students

Nerdy Book Club

What Questions Do You Have?

Padlet!

<http://goo.gl/oLJx6q>

A Word from the Experts:

A Short Video from Mrs. Jordan's Classroom

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